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**Patent Application**

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Transmittal Letter  
Application Data Sheet  
International Application with Search Report  
English Translation of International Application  
Formal Drawings  
International Preliminary Examination Report  
Preliminary Amendment  
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